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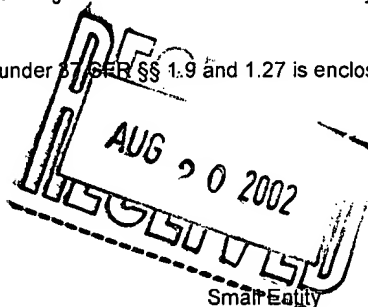
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Case No. 10406/49
Serial No. 2,736	Filing Date June 1, 2001	Examiner	Group Art Unit 2152
Inventor(s) J. Overton et al.			
Title of Invention Method And Apparatus For Managing Location Information In A Network			

## TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ Petition for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension of time.
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PATENT  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

J. Overton et al.

Serial No. 09/872,736

Filed: June 1, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS  
FOR MANAGING LOCATION  
INFORMATION IN A NETWORK

Group Art Unit: 2152

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the obligation under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in conformance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97-1.99, Applicant hereby submits the following references for consideration by the Examiner. Copies of each have been enclosed along with the form PTO-1449.

### U.S. PATENTS

<u>Patent No.</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Inventor</u>
5,724,575	03/03/98	Hoover et al.
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5,950,173	09/07/99	Perkowski
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### FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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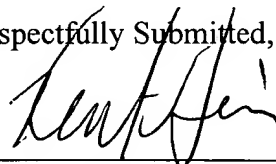
### EXPLANATION OF THE REFERENCES

Each item of information contained herein was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart application not more than three months prior hereto.

Accordingly, no fee for consideration of the information provided with this disclosure statement is included herewith. However, if an office action on the merits is mailed on a date prior hereto, Applicant hereby requests and authorizes the Commissioner to charge Deposit Account 23-1925 for the appropriate fee of \$180 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c) for consideration of the information set forth in this disclosure statement.

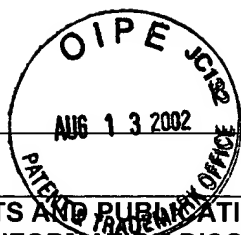
Applicant requests to have these references included in the record of this application. Applicant further requests that the Examiner review the entire disclosure of each reference. Applicant does not represent any of these references to be prior art and Applicant reserves the right to disqualify any references by the showing of an earlier date of invention, if appropriate.

Respectfully Submitted,



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